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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **HAYASHI, Noriya**

Group Art Unit: 1712

Serial No.: 09/664,332

Examiner: **Robert E. Sellers**

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For: **ENERGY RAY-CURING RESIN COMPOSITION**

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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May 13, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **January 15, 2004**, extended to **May 15, 2004** by a one-month Petition for Extension of Time, the following remarks are respectfully submitted: